

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 16 April 65 16/0633Z	2. LOCATION NW of Indianapolis, Indiana
3. SOURCE Military	10. CONCLUSION Astronomical (METEOR) ✓ <i>716</i>
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One/Breaking up	Object entry in accord with meteor observation. Direction with westerly component rules out Satellite Decay.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 - 5 Seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object entering atmosphere and breaking up into several pieces. White. Greenish tinge on outer edges. Trail.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <u>Ground-Visual</u>	
7. COURSE NW	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

Extract from Duty Officer's Report, 15 April 1965

At 2300 local received call from L/Col DeLoughary, 17th Bomb Wing, of a UFO report from a crew still airborne. Object spotted in vicinity of Indianapolis, Ind and confirmed by two other A/C Crews. He had only FTD Form 164 dated July 61, so I delivered to SAC gate, 24 copies of the current form for him to use in debriefing of crew after landing at about 0230 local, 16 Apr. 17 BW will forward TWX UFO report. No further action taken. However this could have been the decay of a space object and thus might involve Project MOON DUST. Suggest TDAOS (Lt Neel) be alerted as well as TDEW (TSGT Moody).

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

This questionnaire has been prepared so that you can give the U.S. Air Force as much information as possible concerning the unidentified aerial phenomenon that you have observed. Please try to answer as many questions as you possibly can. The information that you give will be used for research purposes. Your name will not be used in connection with any statements, conclusions, or publications without your permission. We request this personal information so that if it is deemed necessary, we may contact you for further details.

1. When did you see the object?

16 April 1965
Day Month Year

2. Time of day:

01 33
Hour Minutes

(Circle One): (A.M.) or P.M.

3. Time Zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern
b. Central
c. Mountain
d. Pacific
e. Other ≡

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

North-West of Indianapolis, Indiana Ind.
Nearest Postal Address City or Town State or Country
325/30 Ind, Ind 46410

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration)

— — 22-25
Hours Minutes Seconds

(a) Certain. c. Not very sure
b. Fairly certain d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? watch

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes ✓ No —

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY NIGHT
a. Bright (a) Bright
b. Cloudy b. Cloudy

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you d. To your left
b. In back of you e. Overhead
c. To your right f. Don't remember

N/A

8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- ☒ c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- ☒ a. Bright moonlight *6' offset and position*
- b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight - pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

CLOUDS (Circle One):

- ☒ a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER (Circle One):

- a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain *N/A*
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

10. The object appeared: (Circle One):

- a. Solid
- b. Transparent
- c. Vapor

☒ d. As a light (very bright) then 2 solid objects at the end

11. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars? (Circle One):

- a. Brighter
- b. Dimmer
- c. About the same
- d. Don't know

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

One of the brightest distant lights ever sighted

12. The edges of the object were:

- (Circle One):
- a. Fuzzy or blurred
 - b. Like a bright star
 - c. Sharply outlined
 - d. Don't remember

e. Other light green color around the end of bright light, with very bright white light in the center of object

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- a. Appear to stand still at any time?
- b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?
- c. Break up into parts or explode?
- d. Give off smoke?
- e. Change brightness?
- f. Change shape?
- g. Flash or flicker?
- h. Disappear and reappear?

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| Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't know |
| Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't know |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No | Don't know |
| Yes | No | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Don't know |
| Yes | No | Don't know |
| Yes | No | Don't know |
| Yes | No | Don't know |

14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how? *yes. The very bright white light appeared for 2 to 5 seconds, then broke into 2 objects then disappeared.*

15. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes No Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved behind: _____

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes No Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what in front of: _____

17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound None

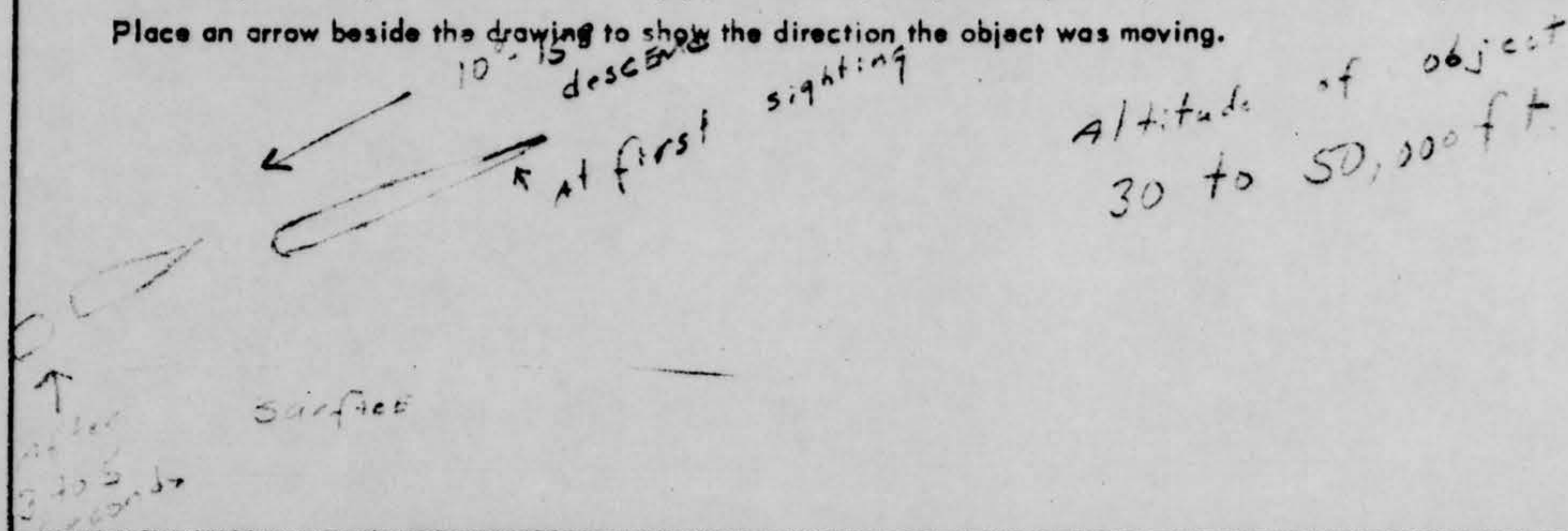
b. Color very bright white light

18. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?

About 1/8 to 1/10

19. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails.

Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.



20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One)

☒ Yes

No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? 2,000 to 3,000 MPH.

21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One)

☒ Yes

No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? 20 to 50 miles

22. Where were you located when you saw the object?

(Circle One):

a. Inside a building

b. In a car

c. Outdoors

☒ d. In an airplane (type) KC-135

e. At sea

f. Other _____

23. Were you (Circle One)

a. In the business section of a city?

b. In the residential section of a city?

c. In open countryside?

d. Near an airfield?

e. Flying over a city?

☒ f. Flying over open country?

g. Other _____

24. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

24.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

a. North

c. East

e. South

g. West

b. Northeast

d. Southeast

f. Southwest

☒ h. Northwest

24.2 How fast were you moving? 446 Kts. miles per hour.

24.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One)

Yes

☒ No

25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

a. Eyeglasses

Yes

☒ No

e. Binoculars

Yes

☒ No

b. Sun glasses

Yes

☒ No

f. Telescope

Yes

☒ No

c. Windshield

☒ Yes

No

g. Theodolite

Yes

☒ No

d. Window glass

Yes

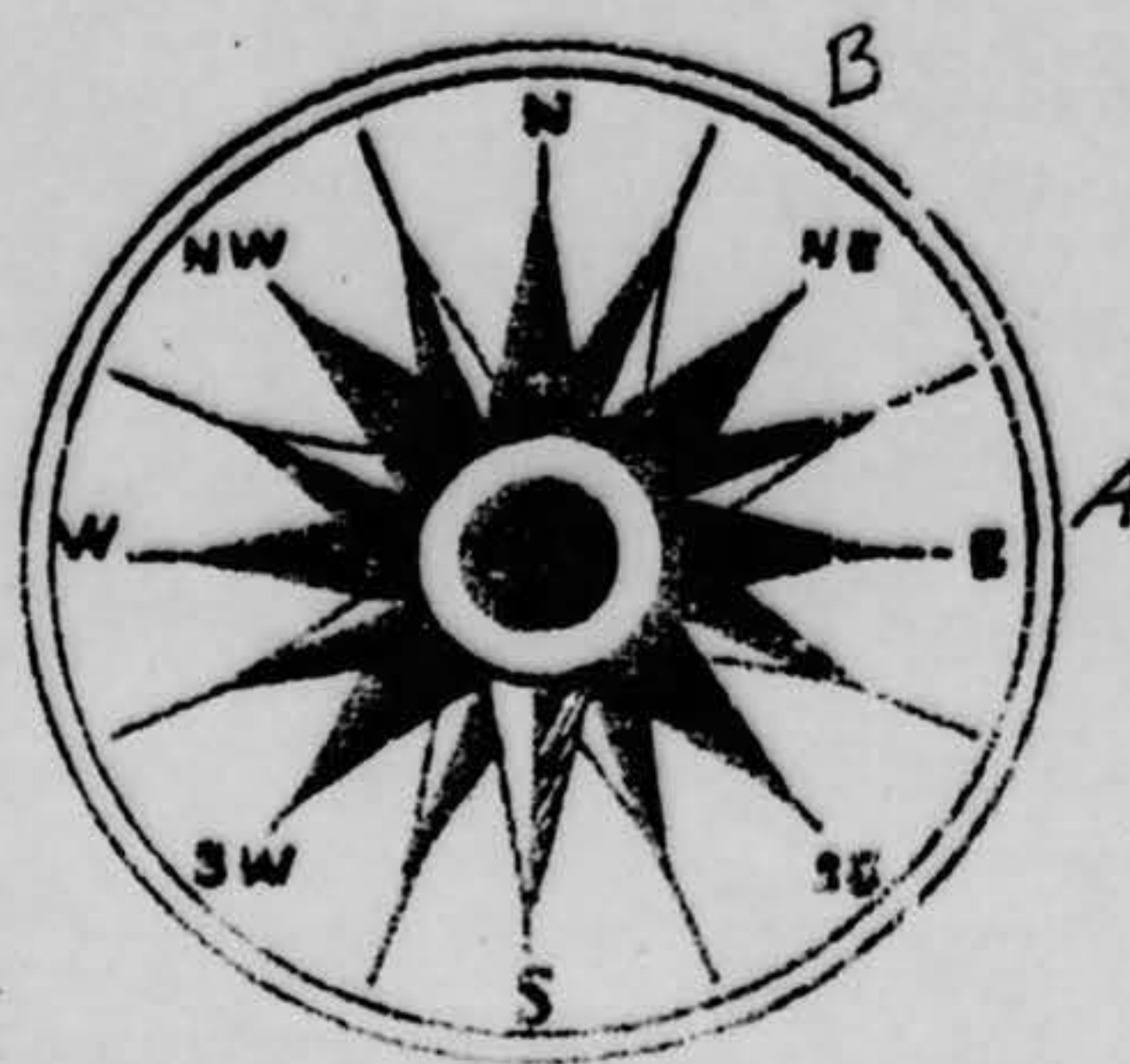
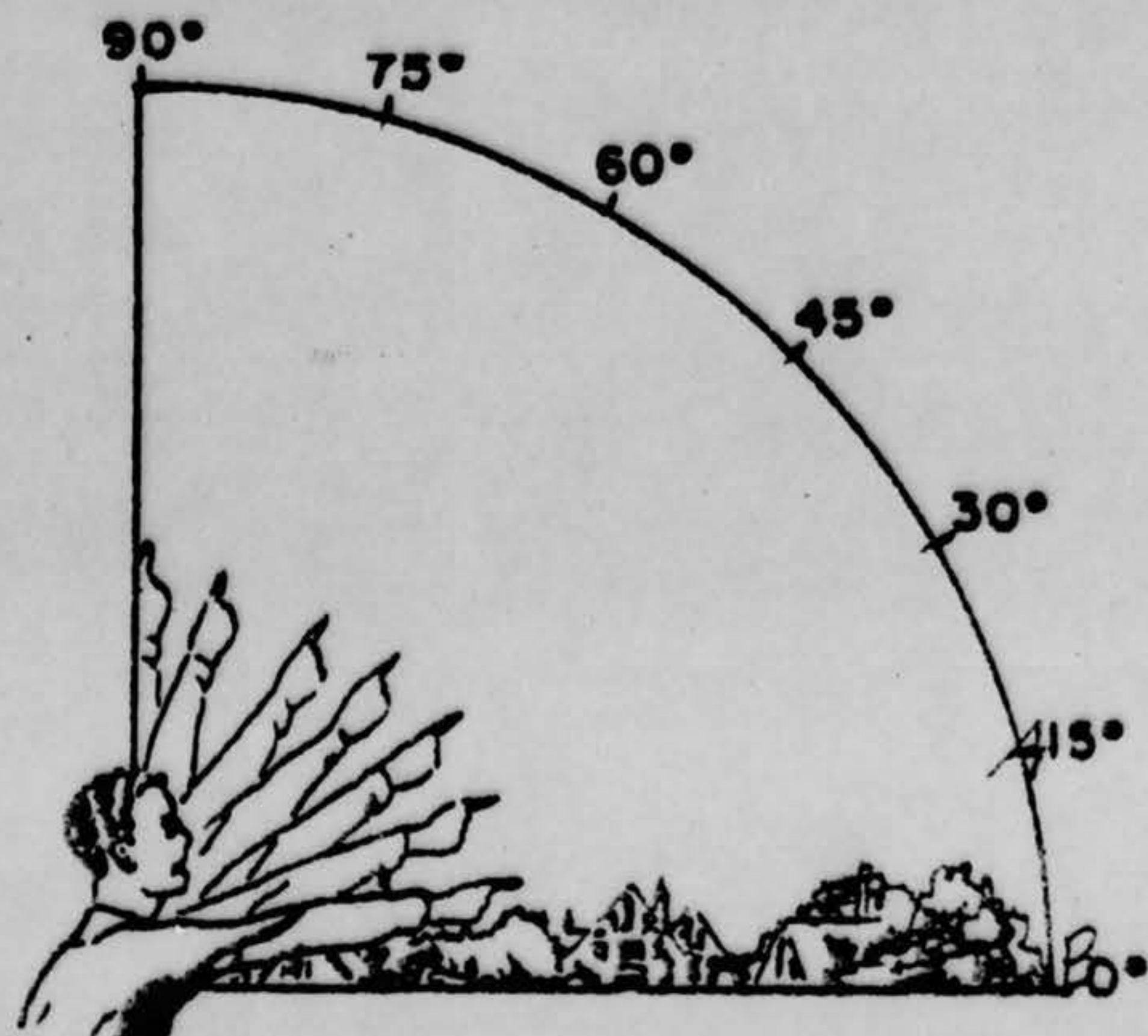
No

h. Other _____

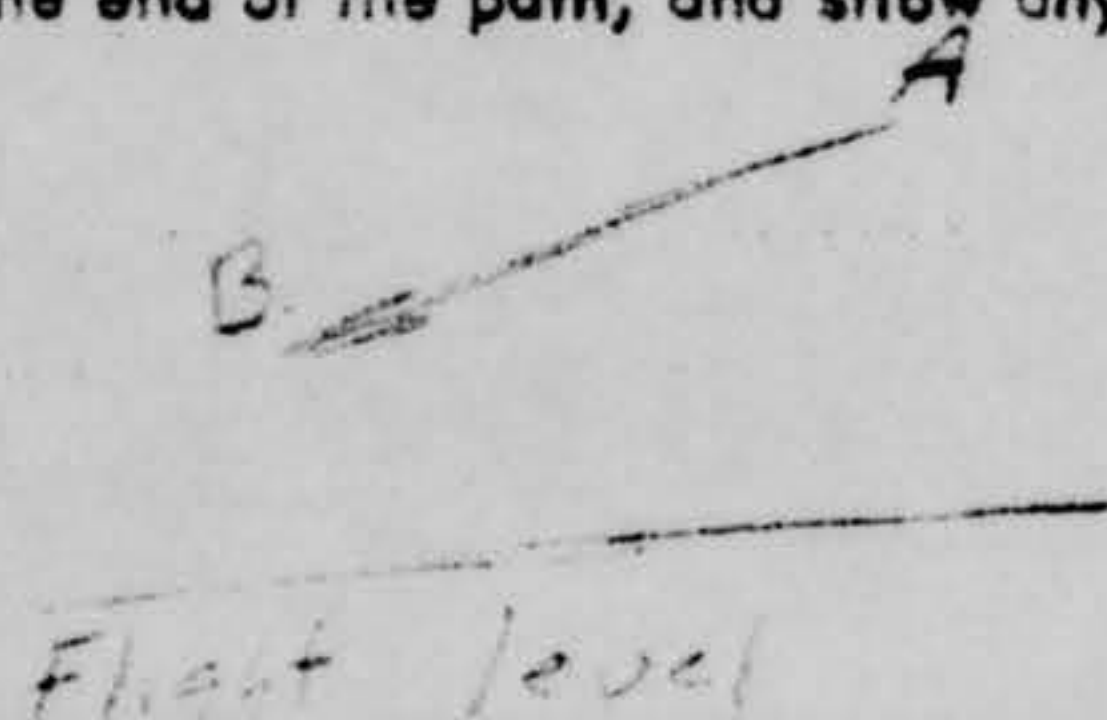
26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

Very bright shooting star, but this object was not
a shooting star.

27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *last* saw it. Place an "A" on the compass when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the compass where you *last* saw the object.

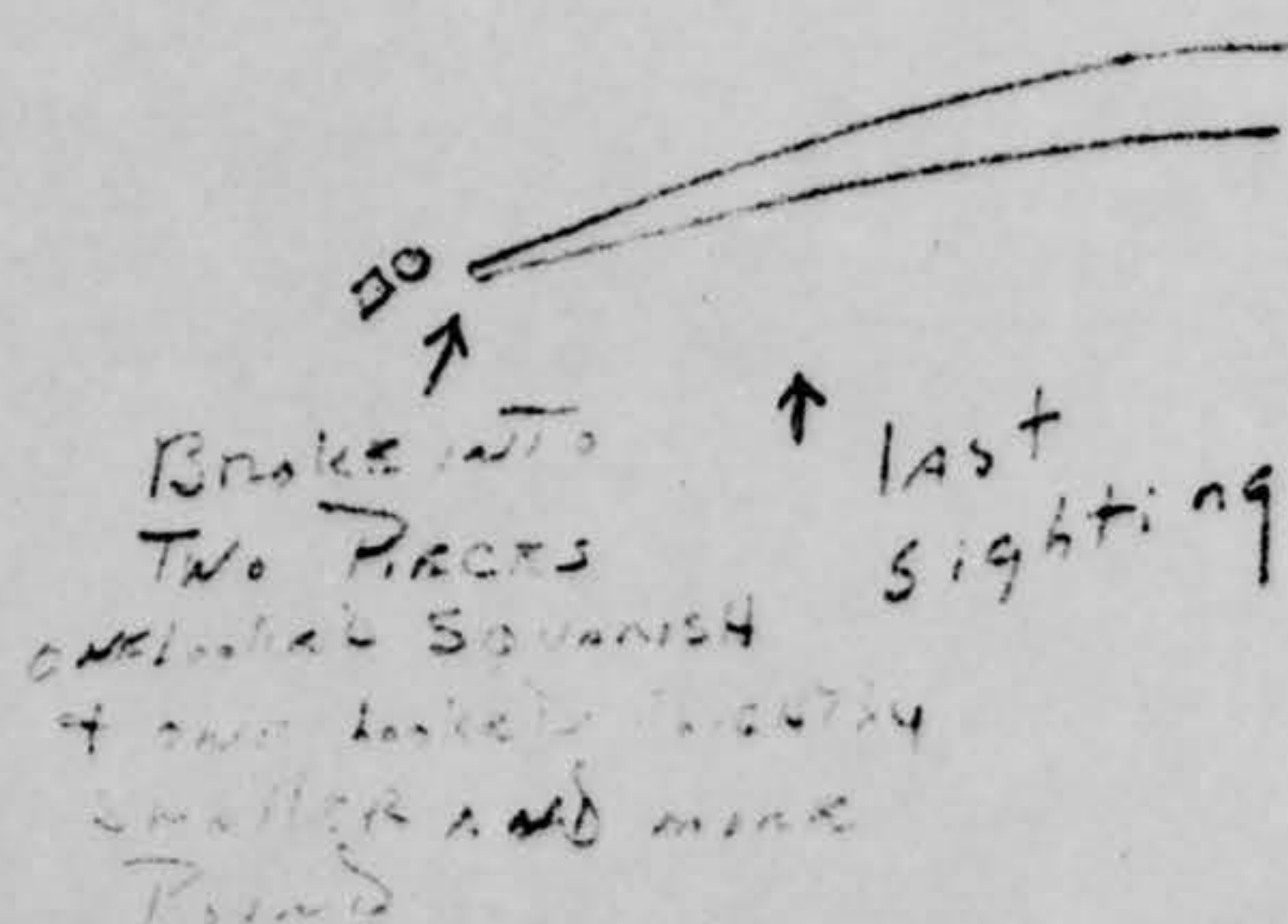


28. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.



29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? 1

Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.



30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

NO

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? (Circle One) Yes No

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? (Circle One) Yes No

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Last Name First Name Middle Name

ADDRESS [REDACTED] Or Fairborn Ohio
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] AGE 26 SEX M

Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any special experience, which might be pertinent.

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33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

16 April 65
Day Month Year

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

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35. Information which you feel pertinent and which is not adequately covered in the specific points of the questionnaire or a narrative explanation of your sighting.